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AMENDMENT AND REPLY

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated January 5, 2007 having a shortened statutory three-month period for response which expired on April 5, 2007. Applicants herein petition for a three-month extension of time. Applicants herein authorize any and all charges due to such extension be charged to its Deposit Account No. 50-4205. A supplemental information disclosure statement is attached hereto.

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

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